

Nobody seems to care, and something that is totally appalling, the Biden administration doesn't seem to care.

I will also point out that over 90 percent of the fentanyl in this country comes across the southern border. We are right now at a point where 110,000 people are dying every year of fentanyl poisoning, illegal drug overdoses in this country, the vast majority of which is fentanyl.

I think the idea that the people of this body or the people in the White House do not seem to care a great deal is horrific. Some people think it is a victimless crime to possess fentanyl or to sell fentanyl. They think it is not a violent crime, that we have too many people in prison, and that it is not that important to check people coming across the border.

By the way, we should be getting more dogs at any time down there in the upcoming budget, the drug-sniffing dogs. They just do a tremendous job at the border.

In any event, the American people have to speak up. The idea that we spent \$40 billion, or passed a bill for \$40 billion, yesterday and couldn't come up with a couple hundred million dollars for our border is a callousness toward the families of those people who are dying of drug overdoses I cannot fathom. But I am not in the majority. I don't determine what we vote on around here.

In any event, I hope and pray that, in the future, the people of this body and the people of the White House view the 110,000 people who die every year of drug overdoses as a tragedy, that they put themselves in the position of the parents, or the siblings, or the children of the people who die of the drug overdoses.

I will point out, 110,000 is twice the number of people who died in a 12-year period in Vietnam. Think about that. I am old enough to remember Vietnam. It was a big deal. People protested. So many people are dying. Every year,

twice as many people die of illegal drug overdoses in this country as died in 12 years in Vietnam.

I hope people in this Chamber decide to do a little more to deal with the problem. I hope our President decides to do a little bit more to deal with the problem.

Madam Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

## ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 11(b) of House Resolution 188, the House stands adjourned until 10 a.m. tomorrow for morning-hour debate and noon for legislative business.

Thereupon (at 8 o'clock and 35 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, May 12, 2022, at 10 a.m. for morning-hour debate.

## EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Official Foreign Travel during the first and second quarters of 2022, pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

### REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO ECUADOR AND COLOMBIA, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 8 AND APR. 14, 2022

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Robin Kelly .....	4/8	4/12	Ecuador .....		1,122.20						
Hon. Terri Sewell .....	4/10	4/12	Ecuador .....		841.65						
Hon. Ted Lieu .....	4/8	4/12	Ecuador .....		1,122.20						
Derek Luyten .....	4/8	4/12	Ecuador .....		1,122.20						
Samantha Schiffrin .....	4/8	4/12	Ecuador .....		1,122.20						
Hon. Robin Kelly .....	4/12	4/13	Colombia .....		516.60		6,475.71				6,992.31
Hon. Terri Sewell .....	4/12	4/14	Colombia .....		611.60		3,077.11				3,688.71
Hon. Ted Lieu .....	4/12	4/14	Colombia .....		516.60		2,936.52				3,453.12
Derek Luyten .....	4/12	4/14	Colombia .....		611.60		4,256.61				4,868.21
Samantha Schiffrin .....	4/12	4/14	Colombia .....		611.60		1,363.21				1,974.81
Committee total .....					8,198.45		18,109.16				26,307.61

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HON. DAVID E. PRICE, Apr. 28, 2022.

### REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO BARBADOS, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 21 AND APR. 25, 2022

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Barbara Lee .....	4/21	4/25	Barbados .....		1,380.04				1,964.37		3,344.41
Hon. Robin Kelly .....	4/21	4/25	Barbados .....		1,380.04				1,632.87		3,012.91
Justin Wein .....	4/21	4/25	Barbados .....		1,380.04				1,502.37		2,882.41
Derek Luyten .....	4/21	4/25	Barbados .....		1,380.04				1,572.37		2,952.41
Committee total .....					5,520.16				6,671.98		12,192.14

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HON. DAVID E. PRICE, May 4, 2022.

### REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN JAN. 1 AND MAR. 31, 2022

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Brenda Lawrence .....	2/19	2/21	Sierra Leone .....		488.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				488.00
	2/21	2/22	Liberia .....		395.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				395.00
	2/22	2/25	Tanzania .....		355.05		( <sup>3</sup> )				355.05
	2/25	2/26	Cote D'Ivoire .....		556.94		( <sup>3</sup> )				556.94
Hon. Chellie Pingree .....	3/19	3/21	Poland .....		557.21		4,669.67				5,226.88
	3/21	3/22	Romania .....		243.00						243.00
	3/22	3/24	Moldovia .....		466.00						466.00
	3/24	3/24	Austria .....		0.00						0.00